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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to co-pending U.S. Patent Applications Nos. 09/583,734 and 09/583,736, both filed May 31, 2000, which are directed to related technical subject matter. The identification of these U.S. Patent Applications is not to be construed as a waiver of secrecy as to these applications now or upon issuance of the present application as a patent. The Examiner is

respectfully requested to consider the cited applications and the art cited therein during examination of the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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